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A Square Deal  
For Every Man

# C. DYER MAKES STRONG PLEA AGAINST LYNCHING

## TER S. DICKEY RECOMMENDED FOR HON. C. M. WHITE GIVEN BANQUET

Master General Said To  
Have Been "Vamped" By  
the Movies, Will Resign.  
Speaker Backing Dickey,  
Voted by Color'd People.

Associated Negro Press

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 11.—The speaker of the House, Terence S. Dickey, in the passing of Will H. Hayes from the position of Postmaster General to a high executive position in a motion picture world at a salary half as great, has suffered a decided high loss in political good beginning of the New Year.

For Penrose will be remembered a notable interview given last night in which he said that the Negro is affected. The Senator one of the most outstanding justifications for Justice ever uttered publically.

He said the Penrose would feel that the late senator "ate his prior to the failure of the bill." It is known that the Senator by his action was trying to defeat the defeat of the bill. He was much affected by the criticism followed and told a representative of the Associated Negro Press that the people would not be responsible.

Terence S. Dickey was practical in his friendliness. There were a number of people who had him in their confidence, the white being now Stevens the banker of Phillipsburg. There are those who have what effect the death will have on the legislation of Stevens, Hayes and "Bob" Church.

There is no denying that the close of the group to Will H. Hayes.

He has had his confidence in Mr. Church.

As a matter of cold fact, they formed a sort of committee that was most uneventful and should not be easily ended by Mr. Hayes' taking another position.

The representative of the Associated Negro Press was asked concerning the legislation, concerning the high esteem in which Mr. Hayes holds the very inexpensive but powerful politicians. He said that he had been asked to read like a thrilling story of fiction if it could possibly be told publicly. He said that Will H. Hayes had always accepted Dickey's arguments.

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# Society AND LOCAL NOTES

Dear: Don't forget the Adeftots Club's Dance February 24.

Rev. C. A. Williams is spending a few days out of the city for a much-needed rest.

Miss Ethel Mae Harris of 4316 Wright who has been quite ill is much improved.

Miss Rosetta McGee of University Street is now a student at Tucker's Business School.

Mr. P. T. Darby of 4026 West Belle has returned from Memphis and other points in the South.

I am always one of the firsts at the Manhattan on Sunday afternoons. You know refreshments free.

A "Tricky Party," February 28 at Pythian Temple by the Rector's Aid All saints Church. (1-27)

I will call for you early Sunday afternoon at the Manhattan on Sunday afternoons.

Waitz on Tuesday night. Fox Trot on Thursday of each week at the Manhattan. Prize to the winning couple.

Mrs. M. J. Dickson of West Belle entered the King's Daughter's a hedge order at her home on Thursday evening.

The Philanthropic Girls have charged their admission fee from 39 cents to 35 cents on January 20.

The pupils of the Progressive Studies have given a Christmas Party at the Studio, 4321 Easton by the instructors Miss Mae Barrett.

If you want to see Sarah, Maude or James on January 20th or 21st, go to the Westmorland Girls Dance Hall, 27, at Pythian Hall.

The Melrose Club, M. Smith, reported.

All aboard for Paradise January 20. Confetti and whistle will be plentiful. Come and join the fun.

Mrs. Birle Cook of 4508 W. Pine Blvd. has been seriously ill for two weeks and wishes her friends to call to see her.

Mrs. E. C. Lawrence, 4203 Finney has gone to Birmingham, Ala., where she will join her husband, Rev. E. C. Lawrence?

The Lazell Girls will give their first dance, February 3 at 2920 Lawton.

Mrs. Carrie A. West, 5455 Delmar, is convalescing at the home of her sister, Mrs. Victoria Herodoff, 1014 Pandion Avenue.

Miss Gladys Olsen of Cook Avenue, was at home to many of her high school friends on New Year Day from three to six.

Miss Viola Bell, 4230 Enright entertained informally Saturday January 13, to attend the funeral of Mr. Mozart at the Studio, Sunday Jan. 14.

Everybody knows Costello's Famous Manhattan Syncopators is the first dance orchestra in town. One reason why the crowd is at the Manhattan on Sunday, Tuesday and Thursdays.

Meet me at the Westmorland Girls Graduating dance at S. 306 Cook Avenue to avoid the fish, January 27 at Pythian Hall.

Mrs. M. B. Berry and Prof. R. D. F. M. Hedges of London, England, last Thursday evening at the Y. M. C. A.

Mrs. R. G. McWayne, 1412 Enright, left Wednesday morning for Hollywood, to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Mary Washington who died suddenly.

Mrs. Marcelline Harrison of Chicago, who spent the holidays in the city visiting relatives and friends, expressed herself as having spent a most delightful week.

Mrs. P. W. Burnett of Fort Benton, Montana, is in the city visiting her daughter Mrs. Eddie Manns of 5665 Elm Ave. Mrs. Burnett paid the "Ages" a visit.

The Executive Board of St. Paul Christian Endeavor was very nicely entertained Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. A. D. Hawkins, 215 S. Lethbridge Ave. (7-4)

Mrs. Edith Andrews, 2808 Lucas, entertained the Potomac Whist Club Friday evening with refreshments. All enjoyed a program and refreshments served in abundance.

Mrs. Emma V. Freeman, the mother of Antonio L. and John A. Albers, Mrs. John A. Albers, the girl who extended visits in the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Haskell at 2827 Windsor Place.

The Stewardess and Deaconesses Council held their monthly meeting Thursday afternoon at the Zion-Baptist Church. Refreshments served identically after business was completed.

Mrs. Josephine Warrick, 608 N. 23rd Street, received from former Thomas Trotter of St. Louis, a basket of the black and tan terrier, the house at night and killing several of her relatives.

Mrs. Crittenton E. Clark, wife of Grand Master of Masons, Missouri Jurisdiction, died Wednesday the 11th. Mrs. Clark was seriously ill when called to the bedside of her husband, who is reported seriously ill at the Albany Hotel.

The Trifive Art Club held their first meeting of the New Year at the home of Mrs. Wm. H. Smith, 2101 Finney Avenue January 13. An interesting program, the hostess served a dainty and palatable repast.

St. Simon's Concert Band at Vesper-hour Sunday Jan. 15, Whetley Branch, C. A. Hall. All circle captains and members requested to be present. Everybody welcome.

Jules Alexander captain Circle No. 2, Olympia Outlaw secretary.

The Ladies of the Bimonthly Club gave a reception December 26 in honor of Mrs. Wm. H. Smith, 2101 Finney Avenue January 13. An excellent program was rendered after which evening was spent in games. Every club entertained themselves as well as a delightful evening.

Mr. W. Magy of 2025 West Belle has returned to the city after an extended business trip to Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas and Oklahoma. His principal point.

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## CLUBS

### MELROSE GIRLS

Miss Marcella Kyles of 3051 W. Belle was at home to the Melrose Social Club Tuesday January 10. After the routine of business the hostess and a committee invited the club to dinner to hold its next meeting at the residence of Miss Levisa Lewis, 4329 Ferdinand Magdalene Smith, reporter.

### AN APPRECIATION

We the Melrose Social Club wish to thank the Glendale boys for the entertainment given us on the evening of Jan. 12 at the Clubhouse. Upon entering the room our own members of the party was given a sonorous and much elaboration was shown in the decorations. The notoriety of the event was great. Jim Arnold and assistant rendered the music for the evening adding much vivacity to the party. The time soon passed away and the party adjourned and dancing. The participants entered with the real Glendale spirit. We were honored with the presence of the president and vice-president of our Associated Social Clubs, also an invited guest. We can assure them this was the most pleasant entertainment we have had in the Melrose Club. A few interesting remarks were made by Messers Wm. Tracy, D. Bright, E. Wilson and Miss Lee Taylor, reporter.

The guests departed at a late hour dismissed by the sweet strains of House Sweet Home.

The Melrose Club, M. Smith, reported.

### THE PALOMINE CLUB

The Palomine Club met Saturday January 7 at the home of Miss Eva Jane Jackson, chaperone. The club consists of 12 members and a committee of five. The results of the election were as follows: Miss Myrtle McKenney, president; Miss Maude Lightfoot, vice president; Misses Anna and Helen Fossell, treasurer; Miss Martha Lewis, reporter. After the routine of business the hostess served a most delightful repast.

The club had a most pleasant time.

Watch for our next dance.

### IRITTA WHIST CLUB

The Iritta Whist Club met at the residence of Mrs. Henry Shultz, 3325 Lawton Avenue. The hostess of the month was served by the hostess, consisting of lobster salad and asparagus tips, potatoe with whipped cream and custard.

The next meeting will be on Jan. 20.

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### PHILOLIAN GIRLS

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### FIDELIA GIRLS

Mrs. Amanda Walker of 4223 West Pershing at home as a hostess to the "Fidela Girls" on Friday evening.

The Royal Arch Watch Club, M. Smith, president; Mrs. C. Whitfield, reporter.

### A ROYAL ARCH WATCH FOR PRESENTED

Special.

SEDA利亚, Mo. January 10, 1922—

At the home of Mrs. Fred L. Larson, 505 Royal Arch Masons' Companion.

M. F. Modtke, Grand High Priest, was presented a "Royal Arch Watch Fob," beautifully engraved. Presentation speech was delivered by J. T. Ferrell, 11, D.

### LA JOVIAL GIRLS

Mrs. Ada Gills and Miss Margaret Hayburn were hostesses to the La Jovial Girls Tuesday evening "A delightfully gay evening."

The La Jovial Girls heartily thank the various clubs and friends that participated in making their first dance a success. We are anxious to please the public and have resolved wonderful encouragement.

### PEERLESS CLUB ACTIVITIES

The newly elected officers of the Peerless Club will be installed at their regular meeting Tuesday January 17 at the residence of Mrs. Frank C. Johnson, 1102 Elliot Avenue. The officers elected were as follows: Boyd L. Wilson, president; Mrs. Simon, first vice president; Mr. George C. Johnson, second vice president; Mr. Charles C. Johnson, third vice president; Mr. W. H. Walker, president; Irene Williams, reporter.

### CORYLOPSIS CLUB

The Corylopsis Club other members were entertained last week by Mrs. C. P. Johnson. Her sister, Mrs. Rothe, was also present. They were visiting for the holidays and were also visiting.

The club was also entertained Tuesday by Mrs. Penn, 4052 W. Belle.

A delicious repast was served.

Mrs. Williams, president; Mrs. W. H. Walker, club.

### MAXINE GIRLS

The Maxine Girls held their regular meeting at the residence of Miss Alice Ward, 2221 Lawton Avenue, Tuesday evening January 10. After the transacting of business, a whole some dinner was served.

A delicious repast was served.

Mr. Chambers, president; Mrs. White, secretary.

### NOVELTY GIRLS

The Novelty Girls held their regular meeting at the residence of Mrs. Alice Ward, 2221 Lawton Avenue, Tuesday evening January 10. After the transacting of business, a delicious repast was served by the hostess.

Miss Ethel Ross, president; Mrs. W. H. Walker, reporter.

### THE LAZELL GIRLS

The Lazell girls met at the residence of Miss LaVerne Avery, 2920 Lawton Avenue, Tuesday evening January 10, at 8:30 o'clock.

The club was bunched up to social activities after which a delicious repast was served.

The Lazell girls are looking forward to another meeting.

Miss LaVerne Avery, president; Mrs. W. H. Walker, reporter.

### DELMONTE SOCIAL CLUB

Mrs. Lucille Richardson, 3215 Cottage Street, was hostess to the Delmonte Girls on Tuesday evening January 10.

After the transacting of business, a delicious repast was served.

Misses Anna and Helen Fossell, treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith, president; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walker, reporter.

### THE MONTANA BOYS

The Montana Boys held their annual

meeting on January 10 at the residence of Mrs. Wm. H. Smith, 2101 Finney.

After the transacting of business, a

delicious repast was served.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, president;

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walker, reporter.

### AN APPRECIATION

I take this method of thanking the Melrose Art Club for their donations and their loyalty to me during all my troubles. I am proud that I am one of the most popular boys here and have all of their members at heart always and strive to help them in every way that I can. I have not words in my vocabulary to express my appreciation.

Most gratefully, Mrs. E. W. Lockett.

Novelty Novelty!

## THE ST. LOUIS ARGUS, FRIDAY, JAN. 18, 1922

### MAJESTIC CLUB REORGANIZED

The Majestic Boys Social Club has been reorganized with the following officers: Billie C. Marshall, president; Warren C. Clegg, 1st vice-president; John Jackson, James Jackson, Earl Hesel, Edward Evans, Harry Evans, Paulie Durman, Teo The Wiz, Jeffery Williams, Evans Johnson.

### EXPRESSION OF GRATITUDE

To the Peacock Boys:

We wish to thank you for the entertainment given us on December 12 at 4:30 p.m. at the Peacock Boys' Club. An enjoyable evening was spent by all.

Philolian Girls.

### FLEUR DE LIS GIRLS

Miss Lucille Johnson proved a very efficient hostess to the Fleur de Lis Girls at their recent meeting, January 10. The girls were greatly pleased with the decorations.

The girls were entertained by the hostess and assistant rendering the music for the evening adding much vivacity to the party. The time soon passed away and the party adjourned and dancing. The participants entered with the real Fleur de Lis spirit. We were honored with the presence of the president and vice-president of our Associated Social Clubs, also an invited guest.

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23rd and Market Streets

NEXT WEEK

Beginning Monday, Jan. 16

Salem Tutt  
**WHITNEY and TUTT**  
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GREATEST OF ALL COLORED MUSICAL SHOWS WITH EVERYTHING NEW EXCEPT FAMOUS KINGS OF JAZZ AND COMEDY

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Smarter Set Company  
At Booker Washington Next  
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Salem Tutt, Whitney, J. Homer Tutt,  
Amon Davis & A Company  
In Up-and Down

The most famous of all Colored organizations—the Smarter Set—will present their greatest show ever. This week—beginning Monday.

The Smarter Set will appear in their first all colored show—“Up and Down,” a musical comedy full of funny situations, charming melodies that will linger long in the memories of all who take pleasure in the art of musical comedy.

The show will be a great comedy—show the day of Whitney and Walker, Whitney and Tutt, will be at the head of the Smarter Set company as the “Smart Kings.” They will be supported by the famous bronze beauty chorus.

Elizabet Campbell, Esther Moore, Julia Moore, Alberta Jones, Ethelene Davis, and others will be kicking dancing and singing shorts of bronze beauties. Each act gives everyone a new thrill, a new surprise, a new kick, well grounded and costumed, in fact, everything to make a peach of a gift. The company numbers all people.

The show is for an audience of mothers, fathers, daughters and sons to witness with enjoyment and without any embarrassment. It is far the biggest show that has ever given pleasure to this theatre and cost Mr. Tutt a few thousand dollars to secure.

Amon Davis and Company

There will be two shows each night at 6 and 9 o'clock. The general admission is 75 cents and boxes 90 cents. Five dollars will be given to the Smarter Set next week. These at 55 cents, except Sunday, when the price will be 75 cents. The price will be increased again next week.

Everyone will be required to purchase tickets for the show—they expect that all the tickets will be sold before the show begins. The audience will become completely engrossed after each show and no one will be allowed to remain for good after the show is over.

This week a ticket for every seat. There's room for all the audience. Box office admits from 10 to 11 p.m. All tickets are guaranteed to insure seats.

**THE WEEK'S VAUDEVILLE**

A good vaudeville bill is entertain-

ing the patrons of the Booker Washington this week. W. Howard Bowman, the singer, and Leroy White, a really funny comedian, star the show.

The Comedy Sisters are excellent singers, with a few graceful dance steps and some comedy.

The show this week is a masterpiece, with the exception of one or two.

A high pitch voice helps in securing a selection of fine melodies.

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A TICKET FOR EVERY SEAT—NOW ON SALE  
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SECOND WEEK—BEGINNING MONDAY, JAN. 23

Whitney &amp; Tutt and their Smarter Set Company in

"SMALL TOWN DOIN'S."

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## THEATRE--21st and Market St.

OPEN  
10 a. m. To 11 p. m.

THE BEST SHOW ON MARKET STREET EVERY DAY

The Best Music On Market Street. Under the Able Leadership Of Mrs. MARIE HARRIS BRADSHAW

IN  
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EXTRAORDINARY ENGAGEMENT—THURSDAY and FRIDAY, JAN. 19-20.

LOIS WEBER Presents Her Greatest Picture

## What Do Men Want?

Love? Flattery? Excitement? Wealth? Babies? Adventure? Home? Thrills?

What Do Men Want? A WOMAN Answers

A Story that Strikes Deep into the Heart of Every Wife, Husband, Sweetheart, Mother, Father, Son, Daughter.

## THE BIGGEST PICTURE OF THE YEAR

### A WOMAN'S ANSWER TO A MAN'S PROBLEM

"You've Got To Have a System With the Girls," says One Character.

IN HER RIGHT

A THUNDERBOLT OF DRAMA THAT ALL AMERICA IS TALKING ABOUT—FLOCKING TO SEE.

Also Larry Semon's Newest Comedy, "The Bell Hop"

TWO DAYS ONLY

THURSDAY and FRIDAY

Another "Real" Masterpiece with an ALL COLORED CAST

Is Divorce the Answer?

Studies of moral problems have compiled statistics which tend to show that women, more often than men, seek divorce. Is the fault with the men or have women failed to measure up to the standards of men?

Every day men are kept mentally busy for continuous give and take of modern business. When evening comes do they want more excitement, or do they want rest and calm?

It is very important are the answers to these questions—to the wives, the mothers and the sweethearts of this country, equally important to all men.

In a stirring photoplay, "What Do Men Want?" Lois Weber gives man's problems and women's—American drama of the heart for happiness will be the feature attraction at the Comet Theatre.

# STAR THEATRE

14-16 S. Jefferson

OPEN 10 A. M. to 11 P. M.

MUSIC UNDER DIRECTION OF Miss Birdie E. Doudy

NO WAR TAX  
On and after January 1  
On 3 and 16 ADMISSIONS

THIS SATURDAY — JANUARY 14

### Edward Heath and Barbara Bedford in "The Face Of The World"

A story of life in the Country to the big and little screen. Action, romance and pathos. A burning hospital, the wrecking of a high-powered racing car, a thrilling rescue and throughout a love story as tender, and sweet as the sorrowing ever known.

IN SEVEN PARTS  
JOE MARTIN in "MONKEY BELLUP"

Scenes and Others

MONDAY, JANUARY 15

Lucy Cotton in  
"BLIND LOVE"

Louise Rommée, Adventure and Mystery. Confined in one of the most elaborate and expensive productions of the year.

The story of the tree is a mysterious vanishing, with the deception is mysterious. A high pitch voice helps in securing a selection of fine melodies.

ALSO 11TH EPISODE OF  
"Winters Of The West"  
Comedy Review

Fickle Fortune  
ALSO GOOD

Two Part Western Drama

ALSO GOOD

**THEATRES-CONTINUED**  
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or dancing spiced with song numbers and humorous sayings?"

The show as a whole, is a good entertainer.

### THE PICTURE THEATRES

"The Woman God Changed," And Tom Mix Olympic

He followed her to the traps to arrest her for murder only to fall in love with the woman himself. This is one of the most stirring stories in "The Woman God Changed," the newest Paramount Cosmopolitan picture which comes to the Olympic theatre this Saturday. E. K. Lincoln is the hero and Seena Larick the woman in the picture. The support is eminently satisfactory.

Tom Mix's Fox Star, is staying to the Olympic theatre on Saturday and Sunday. It is a long, slow story by the celebrated Max Brand. It is a story of twisted and tangled fates filled with suspense. In the plot there is a seafaring adventure, torture to Mix, inasmuch as he does not figure as a cowboy although associated with ranch life and doing some daring stunts in pursuit of vengeance in the West.

"The Sheriff Of Hope Eternal" And "God's Crucible" At The Casino

Jack Hoxie in "The Sheriff of Hope Eternal" will be featured in a Casino picture this Saturday. In this picture he is given an opportunity to show his real stability as a dramatic actor. While he does many of his scenes in a manner that is not particularly effective, the picture is a success inasmuch as it is a picture that in a great part of the picture he must show his ability in a highly dramatic role. He is excellent in this picture and is supported by a very strong cast.

The Sunday Special attraction at the Casino is "God's Crucible." It tells the story of a young political refugee who with his sister and a faithful old奴 are seeking refuge to the United States, to escape the persecutions of his father's oppressors. How he carries out for himself a brilliant plan to earn a very great sum of money and to make his mother comfortable, that itself, are but additions to the goal for which he strives all contribute to making the picture a most noteworthy one in every respect.

"What Do Men Want" Features The Comet Program

The Comet Theatre announces "What Do Men Want" as its feature attraction for next Thursday. This picture is a picture of a group of small town life and small town people yet in this powerful drama, as in all her pictures, Mrs. Shipman not only supplies the full range of emotions but also carries over a mood that is applicable to people of all classes. "Miss Lois" Veltman a genius in picturing scenes of this country, has stripped bare the weaknesses of man and made wonderfully clear a woman's conception of what men want. She depicts the trials, the efforts and teaches exceptionally keen in its mighty appeal, touches the "right chord" in every man and makes him think of the other things that are really worth while.

J. L. Frothingham in "The Ten Dollars" will be featured in a Casino picture this Saturday.

On Sunday the feature will be Jack Hoxie in "Devil Dog Dawson." One of the best dramatic pictures. In the plot he is called to the part of a lighted cigar player in releasing the hero, "Devil Dog" Dawson, from a dangerous trap set for him by his enemies who had planned him. The entire remainder of the pictured story from this point onward takes its logical and dramatic trend from the service and formed by the much maligned cigarette.

"Ae Of Hearts" And "God's Crucible" Star Features

"The Face of the World," will be featured at the Star Theatre this Saturday. It is a picture of the adventures and misadventures of a young married couple and of many thrilling adventures, among which is the driving of a high-speed motor-car with the barking of a three-story building.

On Sunday Lou Chaney will be seen in "Ae of Hearts." The story itself is of the misguided attempt of a group of reformers to rid the world of men who have given up their ideals. The truly feminine member of the group is played by Leatrice Joy, and she is quite an actress. As far as the plot goes, it is a picture of them. From this point, the story is one of self-sacrifice, through which many of the members discover that their ideals may be good but that they still fall short.

"God's Crucible" will be featured at the Star next Thursday. The story is of a group of reformers who flee to Wisconsin to escape the enemies and there amid the snow-capped grandeur of the Canadian Rockies, who find themselves imprisoned. Wilson Lasky, one of the most prominent figures on the American stage, plays the part of "Ae" Murphy, who when captured, fights his son to the country. He himself is imprisoned in Siberia, but escapes and lives but for one thing, who have betrayed him. In sheer dramatic power and tendency this role is closely allied to that of "Stevengold" in "Trifles" in which Mr. Lasky was making famous.

"A Child For Sale" And "One Arabian Night" At Lincoln

"A Child For Sale" will be featured at the Lincoln Theatre this Saturday. This is a stirring picture of the present day evils of race predjudice. The cast includes Gladys Leslie, Creighton Hale, and the two talented children, Eddie and Ruth Sullivan. Eddie is the first picture which is worth in dramatic form to today's unscrupulous landlords. It is the kind of a picture which will not fail to move the heart of the audience. The theatre is a great deal toward alleviating the horrors of unkind rents.

On Sunday this theatre will present

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# JEST-A-MERE THEATRE

THIS SATURDAY—JANUARY 14

Look! It's A PARAMOUNT PICTURE. You Know The Rest  
"The Princess Of New York"  
AN ALL STAR CAST  
A Remake of Wright and Its Workshops, Showing Some Things Money  
WHY DO... ALSO THE FOURTH EPISODE OF  
ART ACORD IN "WINNERS OF THE WEST"

### COMING ATTRACTIONS

"Molly O'" At The Stage Door  
"Hail The Woman"  
"A Child For Sale"

Good Music by Tanner Stafford and Mrs. V. Brown

SUNDAY and MONDAY, JANUARY 15-16

Thomas H. Ince Presents An All Star Cast in

## "The Cup of Life"

Featuring HOBART BOSWORTH, MADGE BELLYAN  
A Thrilling Romance of Two Worlds. A Great Drama of Devotion.  
Also Century Comedy, Featuring "Brownie the Dog"

FRIDAY, JANUARY 20

CORINNE GRIFFITH in

## "The Single Track"

A Brave Girl, Run a Locomotive Twenty Miles To Save a Right of Way.

ALSO TWO PAGE COMEDY AND NEWS

We Recommend This Picture  
As A Big Production.

DON'T MISS SEEING IT

WILLIAM CHRISTY CABANNES

## "The Barricade"

By DANIEL CARSON GOODMAN

A Story of how Love Broke Down The Wall of Prejudice.

Credit and Racial Prejudice have caused Trouble Since the World Began.

# CRITERION THEATRE

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St. Louis' Leading Photo Play Theatre

Special Photo-Play Features Every Day

THIS SATURDAY, JAN. 14

Hobart Bosworth in

### 'A Thousand To One'

The Romance Of The Man Who Lost - - And Won

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## AN EXPLANATION

In reply to the many inquiries and criticisms with reference to our editorial last week under the caption of "Where Are These Jobs," we wish to state that the intention of the Governor was to give us a chance when we said that of the four hundred jobs the Governor had at his disposal, four of said jobs had been awarded to Negroes.

Having been called upon by an "enthusiastic reader of The Argus" to tell through these columns what four jobs are now being held by the Negroes that properly come under the four hundred patronage jobs, we wish to candidly state that we had reference to three members of the Board of Curators of Lincoln University and one at the Industrial Home at Tipton, Mo.

Two others members of the Board of Curators, of Lincoln, are honorary and pensioned, speaking, do not come under the head of "jobs." Eliminating those three, it only leaves the one at Tipton, so far as we know.

We make this explanation for the benefit of those who have inquired of us expressing their confidence in us.

We wish further to state that we have no desire to "swell the list" of Negro appointments in favor of the Governor, by a statement of facts. We believed at the time that the Negro had not yet been given his just share of the State patronage at the hands of the Governor and we know now, by every rule of the game that we have not.

## "LINK" HAS HAD HIS CHANCE

We have begun again in our criticism of the Republican Senate for their failure to confirm Henry Lincoln Johnson as Receiver of Deeds for the District of Columbia. This criticism was based upon our belief that Link met with the same fate that any other Negro would have met.

However, since the charges against him were sufficient to create a doubt in the minds of some as to his honesty and integrity, let President Harding nominate another race man whose character is built upon more solid foundation. We can quite see that the majority of the Colored people of the country who know Link will admit that his selection was a poor one, yet they would rather see him appointed than to lose the place to the man next.

Now that Link has been turned down, it is hoped that he will quit worrying his friends about a job and get out and make good his boast that he is able to make a living by practicing his profession as a lawyer, and give some one else a chance.

## BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

St. Louis offers business opportunities as no other city in the country. Being centrally located, with large railroad facilities as well as water power, there is no limit to opportunity.

The St. Louis Negro Business Association is making an effort to induce more Negroes to enter the business activities of the city, and are trying to encourage those who are already in the business of professional life. Their efforts seem to be pointing in the right direction and those who are interested in the welfare of the race from a commercial and business standpoint should join hands with the present efforts and push St. Louis to the front.

## POSSIBILITIES OF A RACE

Who can set the bounds of a race, the possibilities of achievement among men? White, black, white, yellow or brown?

The mind is the standard of the man. The mind is the only part made until it requires the mind of his Creator to understand him. Who knows but that the man yet in the jungles of Africa is to come forth and teach the world, the mind of the Lord is reflected in the arts and sciences of nature?

There is something wonderful about the progress of the so-called backward races of the world. A man a child coming to this country from the darker continents soon grasps, and in most cases outstrip the American people who boast of their civilization despite the natural as well as other handicaps.

With a striking example of the progress of a race in the Negro of America who, as yet, despite the handicaps and obstacles made possible by racial prejudice, has outstripped his former masters along all lines where open competition has been allowed. To the thinking people of the nation, the Negro's progress in America is nothing short of a miracle.

In a recent editorial the St. Louis Post Dispatch speaks of the miracle of man and race in a discussion of the rapid rise in the scales of civilization by the people of Japan. The same is true of all the backward races of the world today when given a chance. Japan is the aggressive. But what will happen when China awakes?

The Post Dispatch has this to say with regard to Japan:

## Miracle of Man and Race

To find in the story of the white race a civilization comparable to that of Japan when Marquis Okuma, who was reported to have died last Friday at the age of 83, was a young man, we should have to go back probably to the dark ages, that followed the fall of Rome. It has taken their shining race dozens of generations to advance from that crude epoch to its present goal. In Japan this gulf has been bridged in the life of a single man.

When Japan's War Premier was a youth his country was steeped in the sleep of the ages. It was ruled by a shotgun tactfully hidden government. Its light was characterized by the usual attachment of the mental and spiritual, antiforeign, superstition, ignorance. The learning of the nation was confined to the Chinese classics. An embargo had been raised against Occidental civilization and progress.

Then Perry came andimplanted the germs of discontent in the spirit of young Japan. Against the tradition of his fathers, against the institutions of the day and his people's instilled-hatred of change and progress, Okuma turned his eyes to the great world beyond Nippon and set his mind deliberately to the business of learning, of clearing out the cobwebs of centuries and teaching his countrymen. Thus he rose to leadership in Japan's breakneck race to wipe out the life of a single man.

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The world is passing at its prodigious acceleration. World politics has been revolutionized. A new empire has arisen out of the East in the van of other empires. It is the miracle of a race. Yet no less is it the miracle of a man. The life of Okuma, the span across 10 centuries of mental evolution, is a staggering exhibit for the Anglo-Saxon bison whose stolid and puffing efforts have not availed to keep him abreast of his own time.

Let those of the earth who look to the past for their inspiration look studiously upon the recent past of Japan.

When Gypsy Smith gets "pinched" for money he will even speak to colored people.

The name of Marcus Garvey appeared forty-two times in the recent issue of the Negro World of which Mr. Garvey is editor. Some self-boasting, eh?

Let us prove to the world that we are living for something, rather than ourselves.

When you have time, think seriously about what you are really doing that spells "progress for the race."

## BURIAL PERMITS

Willie Earl, 44, 2102 Morgan  
G. W. Lee, 45, 2102 Morgan  
Askin, 23, 3326 LaSalle  
J. Mason, 44, 4027 Finch  
Emma Odiles, 38, 272 Randolph  
John F. Jackson, 40, 4022 Morgan  
W. Addison, 44, 3733 Lacoste  
G. Wilkinson, 27, 2304 Del.  
L. L. Sibley, 51, 3326 LaSalle  
W. Williams, 50, 2346 Bernard  
Virginia Nevers, 56, 1118 N. 19th  
J. W. Zamper, 57, 2623 Walnut  
D. J. McRae, 50, 2346 Bernard  
G. Burke, 37, 514 S. Market  
W. Brown, 39, 117a Market  
T. Weiser, 69, 2214 Franklin  
Robert, 51, 2346 Bernard  
J. Robinson, 260, 1711 S. 2nd  
Lulu B. Sharp, 50, 2326 Bell

## WM. (Bill) DYE, DIES

William P. Dye, 72 years, generally known as Bill Dye, died last Sunday January 8th at the City Sanitarium on Arsenal Street.

He was buried from the Undertaking establishment of W. C. Gordon Wednesday.

Bill Dye was one of the "old timers" of the Negro race, the gay life of this city in his day. He took an active part in his later illness, employed in the Health Department of the city.

**TRIBUTE TO MRS. PEGGY WHITING**

The funeral of Mrs. Peggy Whiting, mother of A. J. and T. W. Whiting of this city, was held in Canton, Miss., Saturday Jan. 4. Memorial services were held in Ashbury M. E. Church where the deceased had been a member for the past 10 years. Rev. A. J. McRae, pastor, conducted the service. Burial services were held in Canton from 11 Corinthish St. and pictured very beautifully the life of a prominent church member.

Friends among those attending the funeral were Mrs. Sam Powell and Mr. Hob. Powell. One of the best features of the service was the singing.

At the close of the pastor's remarks Attorney Powell, who was very visibly affected, rose from his seat and addressed the congregation with a glowing tribute to the departed, saying:

"Rev. and friends: I am here to represent my grandmother, Mrs. Anna C. Cage, who died, who departed this life, Jan. 12, 1921."

**I Die I Love You Dearly**

In death I do the same:  
Your vacant chair in our home,  
Never can be filled; my loss is Heaven's gain.

Sadly missed by his loving wife, Mrs. Frankie Stark, 2822 Walnut St.

## IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my dear husband, Sherman Coleman, who departed this life, June 12, 1921.

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Sadly missed by his wife, Rachel Coleman.

## IN MEMORIAM

In remembrance of my dear husband, Robert J. Hughes, who departed this life, December 11, 1921.

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Sadly missed by his wife, Mary Hughes, daughter Ardelle Hughes, relatives and friends.

## IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear cousin, Edna Durden, who departed this life January 14, 1921.

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Sadly missed by his wife, Mrs. Minnie Dorsey and Mrs. D. L. Garner, 3212 Morgan street.

## IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear mother and grand mother, Lucy Rogers who departed this life January 13, 1915.

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Sadly missed by his son-in-law and grand daughter, Mrs. Marie Skyles and John Skyles and Miss Irene Rogers.

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**I Die I Love You Dear**









